

NO HYPHENS SEEN IN 'LIBERTY DAY'

German and Austro-Hungarian Americans Prove Devotion to U. S.

ONLY BUTTONS SHOW TEUTON SPIRIT

Old Blue Law Dug Up Again to Prevent Racing Features of Speedway Programme.

Long columns of girls in red, white and blue marched across the grass-covered oval within the Sheepshead Bay Speedway yesterday afternoon. Slowly they converged until a living Stars and Stripes waved in the sunlight, with the rhythmic bending of 1,600 girlish bodies. And as the strains of "The Star-Spangled Banner," sung by this living flag, died away a roar of applause swept through the crowded seats of the immense grandstand.

It was the climax of a demonstration arranged to show the devotion to America of the German-American and Austro-Hungarian-Americans of New York and New Jersey. "American Liberty Day" the official programme called it, and harped the hyphen by the statement that the proceeds were for the benefit of "German American and Austro-Hungarian American charities of New York City and the Irish Relief Fund." Not a foreign flag was for sale, nor, with one exception, was one to be seen within the gates of the Speedway.

The only visible evidence of unqualified Germanism were buttons, portraying Field Marshal Hindenburg, and the German Liberty Day Association, which had been invited to the Speedway, as it had two weeks before, and prevented the performance of the whole programme, but nevertheless more than 100,000 persons journeyed to the Speedway to see and watch the monster demonstration.

Features Eliminated.

Out of deference to a law of 1788, the committee in charge decided to eliminate certain features which might have been noisy enough to draw outside the speedway. This step was taken after a conference between Sheriff Edward Riegleman of Kings County, Police Inspector Murphy and Alphonse G. Koebler, a president of the German Liberty Day Association, yesterday morning. These included automobile and motorcycle races and an exhibition by flying aeroplanes.

The green, white and blue of the American flag was to be seen. As the colors of the Irish Volunteers of America, it waved at the head of two companies of that organization, which marched in a parade of four. Some of these were symbolic of America; others portrayed incidents in American history and in the lives of Germans who fought to create this country and to save it.

Loudly applauded among the floats were those showing Peter Muhlenberg, the fighting preacher of the Revolution, and Molly Pitcher, who, during the first battle of the war, on the battlefield, moving along on four wheels, and rammed home the powder charge for a venerable cannon. Washington, D. C., was represented by a float and the crowd watched General von Steuben drilling an awkward squad of the Continental army. British redcoats appeared in the tableaux entitled "Evacuation of New York" and "The Death of General Herkimer."

Peace Float Applauded.

One float was in honor of the 176,000 Germans who fought for the Union in the Civil War. Another showed General Franz Sigel riding on his horse. A float glorified cheering crowds that called "Peace!" Twenty-five girls danced in front of it and 200 young women carrying lilies and horns of plenty marched as an escort.

The parade, which was held on the Hudson river, had included athletic events, drills by the Turners and concerts by German singing societies, was marked by a declaration of the principles of the American Liberty Day Association, offered and read by Henry Weissmann, one of its presidents.

"We, the citizens of German and Austro-Hungarian descent, who are proud to reaffirm our faith and hope in America and its free institutions as the abiding guarantee of the protection and advancement of the undying cause of human brotherhood and world peace."

"We declare with every emphasis our staunch adherence to America, our love for the flag and to a system of government sanctified by a glorious past and the certainty of a still more promising future."

"Our devotion is the deeper because of our conscious knowledge that America is the only country destined to solve the problems of a world peace and of giving to man a steadily growing measure of liberty and the equal opportunities possible only where democracy rightly defies the pretensions of class, caste or hereditary privilege."

Sheriff's Deputies on Hand.

"We therefore view with concern the attempt to question our loyalty because of a natural sympathy with the people of our country in a struggle for existence, and to arouse among our brethren and sisters of non-German stock a feeling of mistrust, if not hatred, against citizens of German descent."

"We hope for an early peace, and that our beloved country may be the medium of its restoration. We shall support such men, candidates and parties as will stand for these principles: for America first, last and all the time."

There were many Sheriff's deputies behind the speedway, ready to interfere if the Sunday observance law was violated, but there were no uniformed policemen. Fourteen cases of heat prostration were treated at the emergency hospital.

SEES HOPE IN WAR'S END

Bishop Brent Trusts Peace Will Bring Wider Religious Teaching.

The Rev. Dr. C. H. Brent, Bishop of the Philippine Islands, preached the communion service yesterday at the Cathedral of St. John the Divine. Touching upon the world war, he advised that none pray for the peace prevailing before the beginning of the war, but for such a peace as should bring the mischief and ruin that brought on the conflict of nations.

COM. SMITH OFFERS PRIZE FOR 40-FOOTERS

New Star Class Yachts of N. Y. Y. C. in Oyster Bay Races.

Commodore Howard C. Smith of the Seawanhaka-Corinthian Yacht Club has offered a handsome trophy as the series prize of the new 40-footers of the New York Yacht Club that are going to be the star class of the big interclub cruising race week arranged by the Oyster Bay organization for the final week of June. The entire twelve craft are expected to take part in the port-to-port racing.

Commodore Wilson Marshall, of Larchmont Yacht Club, has given the committee a cup for the 50-footers of the same organization, and trophies also have been received from Commodore James Elverson and Commodore Leonard Richards, both former senior flag officers of the Larchmont Club. Series prizes for the other divisions will be offered by yachtsmen of equal prominence.

There will be a meeting of the flag officers of the Seawanhaka-Corinthian Yacht Club, the Indian Harbor Yacht Club, the Huntington Yacht Club, the Black Rock Yacht Club, the Manhasset Bay Yacht Club, the American Power Boat Association and the other organizations interested in the cruise on Tuesday afternoon at the Downtown Association to take up the question of yachting routine.

The plan that probably will be adopted is that the committee of the home club will take charge of the fleet upon its arrival and have charge of the yachts during their run in the next port. As the squadron will rendezvous at Seawanhaka-Corinthian Yacht Club on Saturday, the command until the boats anchor at the Indian Harbor Yacht Club on Monday, June 24. The command then will be assumed by the senior officer of the Greenwich Yacht Club, in the hands of the printers and will be sent to all metropolitan yachtsmen this week. They contain the courses for both the sail and the power yachts.

NUTMEG AND JERSEY MOOSE STRONG FOR T. R.

Latter's Leaders Say He Alone Will Satisfy Them.

(By Telegraph to the Tribune.)

Hartford, Conn., June 4.—The delegations of the Progressive party in Connecticut and New Jersey will vote only for Roosevelt at the Chicago convention, according to leaders of both groups who left for the West today.

Herbert Knox Smith, Progressive leader in Connecticut, said: "Our delegation is instructed to vote for Colonel Roosevelt as long as his name remains before the people. We are going to try to get together with the Republican party and we will be willing to agree on any man who is satisfactory to both as to the great national issues and to the present day and to his own record and ability to carry out necessary action on these issues."

Trenton, N. J., June 4.—J. A. Hopkins, New Jersey State Chairman of the Progressive party, issued a statement to-night in which he said: "I wish to state that the New Jersey Progressive party will vote for Roosevelt at the Chicago convention. We have no second choice and will not back the nomination of Justice Hughes or any other candidate under any condition. We have positive confidence in Roosevelt. We have positive confidence in Roosevelt. We have positive confidence in Roosevelt."

T. R. TO GET THREE JERSEY DELEGATES

Nineteen for Hughes and Six for Root, Says Senator Ackerman.

(From a Staff Correspondent of the Tribune.)

Chicago, June 4.—Senator Ernest R. Ackerman, of Plainfield, N. J., arrived here today with the news that nineteen of the twenty-eight New Jersey delegates will vote for Hughes, three for Colonel Roosevelt and six for ex-Governor Woodrow Wilson. The news that ex-Representative Charles N. Fowler, of New Jersey, who was chairman of the Banking and Currency Committee, had been stung by the President's refusal to accept the nomination of Roosevelt, was a warm spot for the Colonel, but his "old guard" friends had told him of the line-up.

BOTH SIDES WIN LOUISIANA FIGHT

Contesting Delegates Seated, Each with Half a Vote.

Chicago, June 4.—The Louisiana delegate contest, which has caused the Republican National Convention to concern itself with no other matter, was settled today, when an amicable agreement was reached, under which both delegations will be seated, each member with half a vote.

For two days members of the National Committee have been working for a settlement of the question. The contesting delegation asserted its right to appear in the convention, on the ground that the Louisiana State Convention was held in a hotel from which negroes were barred. Immediately after the convention a rival state convention was formed, and at a primary election the contesting delegation was chosen.

The Georgia contest, which was decided on Thursday and Friday, was carried before the Credentials Committee, it was announced by members of the committee. The Georgia delegation, which the National Committee gave five seats, eleven going to the Jackson faction.

It is expected that the hearing of the contest will be completed to-morrow. There is still a strong element in the committee favoring refusal to seat any of the delegates from the District of Columbia. The Texas contest, however, has been the most important remaining to be decided.

Montclair May Get Commission.

Montclair, N. J., June 4.—This city will go to the polls on Tuesday to vote on the commission from the government. In a letter received from Governor James F. Fielder today by the Montclair City Council, the Governor declared that the system, as it has been worked out by Jersey City, the Governor's home city, is heartily endorsed.

IN 3 MONTHS CITY GETS \$28,853,349

Controller's Report Gives Public a Peep Into Municipal Account Book.

\$22,985,015 BALANCE IN STRONG BOX

Payrolls During First Quarter of 1916 Reduced by More than \$15,900.

An interesting peep into Father Knickerbocker's giant account book is given in the statement to be issued today by Controller Prendergast summarizing the city's financial transactions during the first three months of 1916. It shows that New York's eye for good business is growing more sage each succeeding year—that the total receipts from revenue sources amounted to \$28,853,349 in the period covered, against \$23,649,553 for the same time in 1915.

On March 31, the report shows, there was a balance of \$22,985,015 cash in the city's strong box, and \$2,474,240 cash in the sinking funds.

Payrolls Reduced by \$15,973.

The city's payrolls during the first quarter of the year aggregated \$24,251,115, which was \$15,973 less than the amount similarly registered in the corresponding period of 1915. The decrease effected was made in the payrolls of the administrative department, the judiciary, public schools, hospitals, parks, docks and Street Cleaning Department. In the Department of Health, Police, Fire, Corrections, Charities, Public Service and Election, however, there was an increase of \$455,900.

Special assessments levied during the quarter aggregated \$2,960,177, of which \$2,418,771 was against property taxes, and \$541,406 was against special assessments. The total amount of improvements being made, while \$133,169 was chargeable against the city, the report shows that in the six years 1910-15 similar special assessments amounted to \$85,908,763.

Tax Collected in Six Months.

During this six-year period the grand total of all taxes levied by the city reached \$887,253,894, of which amount 92 1/2 per cent was collected. Of the entire taxes levied during the six years \$573,78,059, or more than 64 per cent, was assessed in the Borough of Manhattan.

There is \$1,032,310,584 of the city's long term funded debt redeemable by the sinking fund, the Controller states. Tables appended to the report show that to March 31 the city's commitments for the year 1916 amounted to \$227,272,122, of which the expenditure to date had been \$164,635,010.

Tables dealing with the outlays for the city's public water supply show commitments of \$131,975,585 to March 31.

CAR AND AUTO HIT; 1 HURT

Police Hunt Driver Who Left Injured Man in Bronx Street.

George Peronwitz, twenty, of 648 Eagle Avenue, The Bronx, was thrown into the street and cut about the head and injured internally when a motor truck, driven by John Mullen, of 490 East 189th Street, collided with a streetcar at 160th Street and Melrose Avenue yesterday afternoon. The car threw the automobile against a telephone pole, but the driver and two other occupants saved themselves by jumping.

Before the arrival of the police the three uninjured men regarded the accident as a joke, and were leaving the scene of the accident. The driver, Peronwitz, in the street. He was later taken to Lebanon Hospital. Detectives are looking for Mullen and for the automobile, which is said to belong to Joe Milano, of 583 Eagle Avenue.

HINMAN MISSES CONVENTION

Representative Fairchild Also Will Be Absent June 7.

Binghamton, N. Y., June 4.—Neither ex-Senator Harvey D. Hinman, of this city, nor Representative George W. Fairchild, of Oneonta, delegates to the Republican National Convention, can attend on June 7. Their places will be taken by County Judge James P. Hill, of Norwich, and Andrew J. McNaught, of Delaware.

NOVEL HOME FOR WOMEN

Institution to Care for Those Who Have Been in Prison.

A home for women who have served terms in jails or penitentiaries will be opened this afternoon at 219 Mount Pleasant Avenue, Newark. Those who have no place else to go will be welcomed at the home, which has been comfortably furnished. If they are able to work, employment will be given, and every effort will be made to set them on a straight path.

BROWNS WHEN BOAT UPSETS

Telephone Operator Sinks in Weir's Creek—Eight in Craft Rescued.

More than 2,000 men who were crowded on the beach at Weir's Creek, N. Y., yesterday afternoon saw Lena Despins, a seventeen-year-old telephone operator, fall from an overturned rowboat and drown.

TRAINMEN WILL STRIKE TONIGHT 8-HOUR DAY

Though Eager to Keep Peace, They Insist on Demand.

Representatives of railroad brotherhoods, though insisting that they were ready to cause a national strike, rather than to cause a national strike yesterday that they hoped to reach an agreement with the railroads on that demand.

Members of the adjustment board of the Order of Railway Conductors issued this statement: "We hope to win this controversy, but we are willing to avert a national strike if possible. We only ask to be permitted to live as other men live."

In another statement, circulated by four railroad brotherhoods, attention is called to statements made by railroad officials, who say that the railroads cannot afford any increase in expenditures for train operation. The statement endeavors to prove that certain railroad officials are being paid more than if properly paid would have been paid for any increase in operation on account of the eight-hour day. It also says that the increase in cost of operation will be almost negligible.

HANGING FOR FLAG BURNERS URGED

Pastor at Navy Yard Memorial Service Assails White and Flock.

Memorial services for the unknown dead of the United States Navy were held in the Brooklyn navy yard yesterday afternoon under the auspices of the Sons of Veterans of Brooklyn and Long Island. Among the 6,000 persons who attended the exercises were uniformed delegations from the G. A. R., the Monitor Association of Naval Veterans, Knights of Columbus and Junior Order of United American Mechanics. Sailors from the battleships anchored in the yard, and those remaining aboard ship stood at attention during the singing of "The Star-Spangled Banner" and saluted at the close of the song.

Addresses were made by the Rev. John Lewis Clarke, pastor of the Bushwick Avenue Congregational Church, and Representative Daniel J. Griffin, of Brooklyn; the benediction was pronounced by Father Francis K. Brochart, of St. Barbara Church. Dr. Clarke's reference to Bouck White and his "melting pot" made directly after the audience had sworn allegiance to the flag, stirred the crowd to an enthusiastic demonstration.

"America is no place for those who desecrate the flag," he declared. "They should be put out of our country. The men who have burned the flag and the Stars and Stripes should not get thirty days in prison, but a life sentence. I would go further and say that they ought to be hanged."

At the close of the addresses, a miniature reproduction of Ericsson's Monitor, laden with flowers, with the flag flying at her bow, was launched in the navy yard channel. For a few minutes she drifted, drifting with the current, and then suddenly overturned and sank, scattering the blossoms over the water. Slowly they drifted out into the river and down to sea.

DOMINICANS KILL AMERICAN OFFICER

Captain Hirschinger, U. S. M. C., Shot at Puerto Plata.

Washington, June 4.—Captain Herbert J. Hirschinger, of the United States Marine Corps, was shot and killed during the landing of American forces at Puerto Plata, Santo Domingo, yesterday.

In reporting this to the Navy Department today, Rear Admiral Caperton, in command of the American forces in the republic, explained that there had been a slight misunderstanding on shore during the landing, and he shot struck Captain Hirschinger in the head. He died three hours later.

Captain Hirschinger was forty-two years of age, a native of Georgia, and was appointed to the corps in 1910. He was married and has a wife and young daughter, living in Boston.

KEYSTONE AND JERSEY DELEGATIONS ON WAY

Penrose Men Leave Philadelphia on Special Train.

Philadelphia, June 4.—The Pennsylvania and New Jersey delegations to the Republican National Convention left this city today for Chicago. The Pennsylvania delegates, who are unpledged and who last week endorsed United States Senator Penrose for chairman of the delegation, are making a journey in a special train of seven cars, while the delegates to the New Jersey delegation, who will join the party at different points.

The Brumbaugh supporters refused to attend the caucus called by Senator Penrose last week. Another caucus of the New Jersey delegates was held in Chicago on Tuesday, but thus far the Brumbaugh men have not signified whether they will attend.

FOUR CZECH LEADERS TO DIE

Charged with Working for Bohemian Russian Rapprochement.

Vienna, June 4.—Four members of the Hungarian Czech party have been found guilty of high treason and espionage and sentenced to death. They are Dr. Krametz, leader of the Young Czechs, and Dr. Rosenbaum, a deputy in the Diet, found guilty of high treason, and Herr Zamosil, bookkeeper, and Herr Gerzinka, editorial secretary of the "Narodny Listy," accused of espionage.

2,000 POLICEMEN DEAD

Members of Force Gather at Impressive Service in Cathedral.

A group of black-clad women stood in St. Patrick's Cathedral yesterday afternoon, while about them thundered the voices of 2,000 policemen. The bluecoats were singing the Requiem, "Holy God, We Praise Thy Name," and tears stained the cheeks of the mourning women.

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MONSIGNOR LAVELLE PAYS TRIBUTE TO DEPARTMENT—FATHER DUFFY EULOGIZES ITS COURAGE.

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At the close of the service the policemen waited while the wives and daughters of their departed comrades left the cathedral, then filed slowly forth and marched back to the East Fifty-first Street station, where they disbanded.

RUSSIANS REPULSE GERMANS AND TURKS

Attacks Under Divina Front Follow Heavy Artillery Firing.

London, June 4.—The Russian official communication at Petrograd, issued today, says:

"In the western (Russian) front, in the region northwest of Plikarn, the Germans, after heavy firing, attempted several times to assume the offensive, but were repulsed. On various occasions the Russian troops repulsed the attacks of the enemy's artillery. The Russian forces repulsed the attacks of the enemy's artillery. The Russian forces repulsed the attacks of the enemy's artillery."

"Friday evening our artillery dispersed Germans, who were attempting to assault the position of Krevy. The Russian forces repulsed the attacks of the enemy's artillery. The Russian forces repulsed the attacks of the enemy's artillery."

"The Turkish official report issued at Constantinople says:

"In the region of the Caucasus, the Russian forces repulsed the attacks of the enemy's artillery. The Russian forces repulsed the attacks of the enemy's artillery."

STEEL ARMOR SHIELDS MODERN WARRIORS

Helmets and Breastplates Used by Allies and Germans.

Not the least remarkable feature of the present war has been the reintroduction of ancient contrivances in new forms. Bombs, grenades, catapults—these and other old adjuncts of fighting have for some time been used side by side with the most modern devices for slaughtering man; and now armor is being given another vogue, says "London Answers."

Twelve months ago the French government produced a cuirassier helmet, which was considered the best of its kind. It was made of steel, and was covered with a layer of lead. It was made of steel, and was covered with a layer of lead.

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That ended Mr. Schiff's speech. As though a magic wand, a silence descended upon the hall. Ex-Judge Leon J. Sanders offered a resolution of confidence in Mr. Schiff.

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Mrs. Sage Aids Knox College.

Galesburg, Ill., June 4.—The Knox College campaign to raise a \$500,000 additional endowment fund had been successfully completed by a \$75,000 gift from Mrs. Russell Sage, of New York, it was announced today. The general board of education promised that if the \$500,000 was raised by June 1, it would donate an additional \$100,000.

BRANDEIS TAKES OATH AS JUSTICE TO-DAY

Was Counsel in Two Supreme Court Cases Now Pending.

Washington, June 4.—Louis D. Brandeis, whose nomination to the Supreme Court was confirmed by the Senate last week after a prolonged fight, will take the oath as an associate justice to-morrow. He arrived here from Boston to-night. As no further arguments will be heard by the court until next fall, the new justice will participate in no decisions until that time other than those involving motions presented to-morrow.

Among the cases pending are two in which Mr. Brandeis was counsel. They involve the constitutionality of Oregon laws fixing a wage minimum and limiting hours of labor.

MARINES FOR SANTO DOMINGO

Several Hundred Will Go to Reinforce Caperton.

Washington, June 4.—Several hundred marines to-day were ordered to Santo Domingo to reinforce Rear Admiral Caperton's command, which is protecting foreign lives and property and aiding the island government to overthrow the Arias revolution. They will be taken from New Orleans by transport Hancock and probably will number five or six hundred.

More than 2,000 marines are now in Hayti and Santo Domingo, distributed to establish a policing system like that inaugurated in Hayti.

DOGS BITE SEVERAL IN JERSEY CITIES

Animals Run Wild in Hackensack and Englewood.

Hackensack, N. J., June 4.—Mad dogs bite several children and started a muzzling campaign in Englewood and this city to-day. The greatest excitement was caused in Main Street, Hackensack, this afternoon, when a dog dashed down the street, bit six-year-old George Purser and attacked ex-Sheriff James Mercer, tearing his shoe from his foot.

Policeman Breen ran toward the animal, which made off. The policeman kept up the chase for three miles before he finally overtook it in Bogota. Three other canines were shot to prevent further mischief.

Three children were bitten by the dog that invaded Englewood—Kirk Marshall, Peter De Palma and Thomas L. De Mott. An examination of the body of the dog proved that it had been suffering from rabies.

YACHT OWNERS AID FIREMEN

Throw Searchlights on Blaze at City Dumping Ground.

Owners of yachts that were standing in the Hudson River near Ninety-sixth Street early last night aided firemen fighting a blaze in the city dumping ground at that point by throwing their searchlights upon the mountains of rubbish and illuminating the entire district.

As tons of boxes, papers and other inflammable materials burst into a blaze the flames mounted high into the sky, and passing motorists paused on Riverside Drive, while pedestrians added to the congestion by joining them in the street. The fire finally extinguished before it reached the frame structures adjoining the dump. Several barges were damaged.

CITY GOT JOBS FOR 2,373.

Applicants Placed in May by Employment Bureau Makes Record.

Evidence of the unusual prosperity throughout New York has been found in the report just issued by the Public Employment Bureau, 53 Lafayette Street. More than eight times as many places were filled in May of this year as in May, 1915.

During May 2,373 men and women were placed, breaking the previous high record by 177. The age of the men ranged from 16 to 65, and the women from 14 to 64. Some of the employments which the bureau has specialized in are the munitions trade, printing, hotel help, agriculture, salesmen, stenographers, day labor and day work for women.

SCHIFF WEEPS AS HE QUILTS AS LEADER

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morning Mr. Schiff entered. Silence fell over the delegates—the silence of surprise. One of the intellectuals began to hiss.

"Why," he shouted, "a Jacob's coat!"

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WILL AID GERMANS, TOO

New Relief Committee Believes American Charity is Nonpartisan.

To provide machinery for the prompt transmission of money to Germany the American Relief Committee has been organized as an auxiliary to a similar committee founded by the American colony in Berlin. By checks made payable to John D. Crimmins, treasurer, the members hope to demonstrate that American charity to war relief is nonpartisan. Gifts will be made solely for the relief of widows and orphans of the war.

"Many an American has been ready and willing to do his 'bit' to relieve distress in Germany," the announcement says, "but has not known when or how to send his contribution."

The Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America has suggested that the church and Sunday school offerings on Children's Sunday, June 11, be devoted in whole or in part to the suffering children of all the warring nations.

TWO WEEKS VOTES GO A-GLIMMERING

Massachusetts Senator Forgot to Ask for Credentials.

(From a Staff Correspondent of the Tribune.)

Chicago, June 4.—The next time Senator John W. Weeks, of Massachusetts, takes any delegates to breakfast he will look at their credentials first.

Two delegates walked into the lobby of the Congress yesterday and began to discuss the situation. A week's forethought had been given to the Massachusetts Senator. The greetings over, Senator Weeks invited the two delegates to breakfast. They accepted. After the breakfast, the Senator suggested that it would be a very nice thing if they got on board the Weeks band wagon.

Both delegates grew red. Finally one of them spluttered out: "We would like to, Senator. But, you see, we are Progressives."

ROOF GARDEN FOR PARISH

Madison Avenue Presbyterians to Erect \$150,000 House Soon.

The Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church, at Seventy-third Street, announced yesterday that it would immediately commence the erection of a new \$150,000 parish house. The structure will adjoin the church on the north and will have a frontage on Madison Avenue.

It will be the most complete building of its kind in New York City. There will be eight stories and two basements, which will give space for